



2022 ILLINOIS STATE FAIR

IMPORTANT CAMPING DATES

2022 CAMPING RATES	RV: \$50.00 Tent: \$25.00 Tent (no vehicle): \$20.00
FRIDAY, APRIL 1 9:00a.m. CST	RESERVATIONS ACCEPTED ON-LINE ONLY Walk-in, mail-in, or faxes will <u>NOT</u> be accepted <u>ON or BEFORE</u> April 1
May 2022	Confirmation letters will be e-mailed to those campers whose applications were approved for placement.
July 1, 2022	Last day to cancel reservations with full refund Processing of payments will begin. Credit cards will be charged in full and could appear on statement as Illinois State Fair Campground or IL State Fair Mega Pass
August 1, 2022	2022 Illinois State Fair camping rates, rules and regulations go into effect
August 11, 2022 thru August 21, 2022	Official dates of the 2022 Illinois State Fair Admission fees go into effect Vehicles not displaying appropriate parking placard will be subject to tow at owner's expense Campers not displaying their permit will be subject to tow at owner's expense

Questions should be directed to: AGR.FairInfo@illinois.gov

ILLINOIS STATE FAIR CAMPING POLICIES AND RATES BEGIN AUGUST 1, 2022

Camping on the IL State Fairgrounds is at the camper's own risk. The IL Department of Agriculture shall not be responsible for any damage or loss to camper's personal property.

APPLICATION – RESERVATION – RATES – PAYMENT PROCESS:

- **2022 RATES:** RV: \$50.00 per night; TENT: \$25.00 per night; TENT (**no vehicle**): \$20.00 per night.
- Reservations will be accepted beginning **April 1, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. CST ON-LINE ONLY** at www.illinoisstatefair.info
- **Walk-in, mail-in, or faxed requests will NOT be accepted or honored ON or BEFORE April 1, 2022**
- **Camping assignment is on a first come, first served basis, with priority given to vendors/concessionaires and livestock entrants staying 6 nights or longer.** Campsite preference IS NOT GUARANTEED. All campsites will be assigned at the discretion of the Credentials Office. Competitive event entries will be checked on a continuous basis.
- One (1) Campsite per exhibitor / family. If multiple exhibitors have the same parent/legal guardian, only one campsite will be issued for that family.
- A separate application submission is required for each campsite requested.
- Campsites cannot be transferred to another individual. Identification may be required at check-in!
- Cancellations after **July 1, 2022** will forfeit campsite and total payment.
- If you arrive prior to or depart after your scheduled reservation dates, you will be charged for each additional night.
- Visa, Mastercard, Discover, cashier's check money order, or cash are the only acceptable forms of payment. **Personal checks will not be accepted after July 1, 2022.**
- Confirmation notifications will be emailed in May 2022 to those with an accepted reservation with payment requirements. **Payment will be processed July 1, 2022. Credit cards that are declined or expired will be grounds for forfeiture of campsite.** Your campground charge could appear on your credit card statement as Illinois State Fair Mega Pass. Those not assigned a campsite will be put on a wait list and emailed a letter indicating such.

ADMISSION & PARKING POLICIES:

- Individuals arriving **prior to August 11, 2022** will not be required to pay admission fee. Those arriving **August 11, 2022** or later will be required to pay the appropriate admission fee per person.
- One vehicle parking placard will be provided with each campsite (except \$20 tent camping) and must be displayed prominently on dash. Additional vehicles must purchase a parking placard upon arrival at the campground office and park in designated parking lot.
- Every vehicle at the campground, excluding motor homes, will need a paid seasonal parking placard. Starting **August 11, 2022**, all vehicles will be inspected for appropriate parking placard. Those not displaying the appropriate placard will be subject to tow at the owner's expense.
- Daily parking is also available at Gate 11.
- Lost or stolen parking placards will not be replaced.
- Starting **August 11, 2022**, campers leaving the Fairgrounds and returning on the same day must have their hand stamped upon exit or be subject to appropriate admission fee upon returning.

CAMPING POLICIES:

- **Check-in is at 3:00 p.m. – Check-out is at 12:00 p.m.**
- Campers will be checked for length upon arrival.
- **Camping PERMIT MUST BE DISPLAYED. Campers not displaying their permit will be issued a 24-hour WARNING: Camping/Parking Violation placard. After the 24-hour warning, those still not displaying the appropriate placard will be subject to tow at the owner's expense.**
- Campers who do not vacate their campsite by 12:00p.m. on their scheduled date of departure may be subject to additional nights camping charged to their credit card.
- Visitors must enter through Gate 11 and will be subject to admission and parking fees.
- Gate 10 is for campers with seasonal paid parking placard only.
- Supply vehicles are not permitted in the campgrounds.
- Generators will not be allowed.
- No awnings allowed on asphalt campsites.
- All pets must be on a leash and owner's responsible for cleaning up after them.
- ADA accessible camping sites are limited. Campers requesting such a site must provide verification of need, which can include a copy of a non expired license plate or placard.
- Tent lot does not have water or electricity.
- A dump station, showers and restrooms are located in the campgrounds.